

accessible via one or more instructions that are provided by an operator of the player or transcriber.

17. The DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 15 further comprising:

location data identifying locations of said concealed data groups on the DVD.

18. The DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 17 wherein said concealed data groups are accessible via said location data.

19. The DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 15 wherein said one or more data groups that are not concealed are accessible via normal playing of the player or transcriber.

20. The DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 15 wherein said one or more data groups that are not concealed are accessible via a PLAY control after the DVD is inserted into the player.

21. The DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 15 wherein at least one of said concealed data groups is located before all of said one or more data groups that are not concealed.

22. The DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 15 wherein at least one of said concealed data groups is located after all of said one or more data groups that are not concealed.

23. The DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 15 wherein at least one of said concealed data groups

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is located between two of said data groups that are not concealed.

24. A method for recording data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber comprising the step of: formatting data into a plurality of data groups wherein one or more of said data groups are concealed and one or more of said data groups are not concealed; and recording said formatted data on the DVD.

25. The method for recording data on a DVD for use with a player or a transcriber as in claim 24 wherein said concealed data groups are accessible via one or more instructions that are provided by an operator of the player or the transcriber.

26. The method for recording data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 24 wherein said formatted data further comprises location data identifying locations of said concealed data groups on the DVD.

27. The method for recording data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 26 wherein said concealed data groups are accessible via said location data.

28. The method for recording data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 24 wherein said one or more data groups that are not concealed are accessible via normal playing of the player or transcriber.

29. The method for recording data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 24 wherein said one or more data groups that are not concealed are accessible via a PLAY control after the DVD is inserted into the player.

30. The method for recording data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 24 wherein at least one of said concealed data groups is located before all of said one or more data groups that are not concealed.

31. The method for recording data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 24 wherein at least one of said concealed data groups is located after all of said one or more data groups that are not concealed.

32. The method for recording data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 24 wherein at least one of said concealed data groups is located between two of said data groups that are not concealed.

33. A system for recording concealed data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber comprising:

means for formatting data into a plurality of data groups wherein one or more of said data groups contain the concealed data and one or more of said data groups are not concealed; and

means for recording said formatted data on the DVD.

34. The system for recording concealed data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 33 further comprising:

means for formatting location data identifying locations of said concealed data groups on the DVD.

36/ The system for recording concealed data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 34 further comprising:

means for recording said formatted location data on
the DVD.

37. A method for an operator of a player to interact with the player in order to play back one or more concealed data groups from a DVD, the DVD having location data identifying one or more locations corresponding to said one or more concealed data groups, comprising the steps of:

providing, by the operator, one or more instructions to select at least one of the concealed data groups;

reading, by the player, at least one of said locations corresponding to said selected concealed data group;
and

playing back, by the player, said selected concealed data group from said corresponding location on the DVD.

38. A method for an operator of a transcriber to interact with the transcriber in order to transcribe one or more concealed data groups from a DVD to another medium, the DVD having location data identifying one or more locations corresponding to said one or more concealed data groups, comprising the steps of:

providing, by the operator, one or more instructions to select at least one of the concealed data groups;

reading, by the transcriber, at least one of said locations corresponding to said selected concealed data group;
and

transcribing, by the transcriber, said selected concealed data group from said corresponding location on the DVD to the another medium.

39. A DVD for use with a player or a transcriber comprising:

a plurality of data groups wherein one or more of said data groups are concealed and one or more of said data groups are not concealed, said concealed data groups are undetectable by playing the player or transcriber normally.

40. The DVD for use with a player or a transcriber as in claim 39 wherein said concealed data groups are accessible via one or more special instructions that are provided by an operator of the player or the transcriber, said special instructions differing from a normal playing of the player or the transcriber.

41. The DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 39 further comprising:

location data identifying locations of said concealed data groups on the DVD.

42. The DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 41 wherein said concealed data groups are accessible via said location data.

43. The DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 39 wherein said one or more data groups that are not concealed are accessible via normal playing of the player or the transcriber.

44. The DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 39 wherein at least one of said concealed data groups is located before all of said one or more data groups that are not concealed.

45. The DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 39 wherein at least one of said concealed data groups is located after all of said one or more data groups that are not concealed.

46. The DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 39 wherein at least one of said concealed data groups is located between two of said data groups that are not concealed.

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47. A method for recording data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber comprising the step of:

formatting data into a plurality of data groups wherein one or more of said data groups are concealed and one or more of said data groups are not concealed; and

recording said formatted data on the DVD, wherein said concealed data groups are undetectable by playing the player or transcriber normally.

48. The method for recording data on a DVD for use with a player or a transcriber as in claim 47 wherein said concealed data groups are accessible via one or more special instructions that are provided by an operator of the player or transcriber; said special instructions differing from a normal playing of the player or the transcriber.

49. The method for recording data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 47 wherein said formatted data further comprises location data identifying locations of said concealed data groups on the DVD.

50. The method for recording data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 49 wherein said concealed data groups are accessible via said location data.

51. The method for recording data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 47 wherein said one or more data groups that are not concealed are accessible via normal playing of the player or transcriber.

52. The method for recording data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 47 wherein at least one of said concealed data groups is located before all of said one or more data groups that are not concealed.

53. The method for recording data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 47 wherein at least one of said concealed data groups is located after all of said one or more data groups that are not concealed.

54. The method for recording data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 47 wherein at least one of said concealed data groups is located between two of said data groups that are not concealed.

55. A system for recording concealed data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber comprising:

means for formatting data into a plurality of data groups wherein one or more of said data groups contain the concealed data and one or more of said data groups are not concealed; and

means for recording said formatted data on the DVD, wherein said concealed data groups are undetectable by playing the player or transcriber normally.

56. The system for recording concealed data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 55 further comprising:

means for formatting location data identifying locations of said concealed data groups on the DVD.

57. The system for recording concealed data on a DVD for use with a player or transcriber as in claim 56 further comprising:

means for recording said formatted location data on the DVD.

58. A method for an operator of a player to interact with the player in order to play back one or more concealed data groups from a DVD, the DVD having location data

identifying one or more locations corresponding to said one or more concealed data groups, comprising the steps of:

providing, by the operator, one or more special instructions to select at least one of the concealed data groups, said special instructions differing from a normal playing of the player;

reading, by the player, at least one of said locations corresponding to said selected concealed data group;
and

playing back, by the player, said selected concealed data group from said corresponding location on the DVD.

59. A method for an operator of a transcriber to interact with the player in order to transcribe one or more concealed data groups from a DVD to another medium, the DVD having location data identifying one or more locations corresponding to said one or more concealed data groups, comprising the steps of:

providing, by the operator, one or more special instructions to select at least one of the concealed data groups, said special instructions differing from a normal playing of the transcriber;

reading, by the transcriber, at least one of said locations corresponding to said selected concealed data group;
and

transcribing, by the transcriber, said selected concealed data group from said corresponding location on the DVD to the another medium.

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